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SUBJECT: US-USSR S&T AGREEMENT: FIFTH JC MEETING: RECORD
OF MEETING (01.00)

REF: (A) STATE 106892; (B) MOSCOW 7584; (C) STATE 125915;
(D) MOSCOW 8075; (E) MOSCOW 6618

1. US SIDE UNDERSTANDING FROM MEETING OF EXECUTIVE
SECRETARIES IN WASHINGTON NOVEMBER 1976 WAS THAT SUMMARY
SECTIONS OF THE JOINT WORKING GROUP REPORTS TO JC WERE TO
BE INSERTED IN RECORD OF MEETING TO CONSTITUTE
"ACCOMPLISHMENTS" SECTION ON EACH WORKING GROUP.
FOLLOWING IS STATUS OF THESE WORKING GROUP REPORTS,
ACCORDING TO OUR RECORDS, AND THEREFORE CONTENTS OF RECORD
IN SO FAR AS IT DEALS WITH EACH WG. THESE TEXTS
SUPERSEDE EQUIVALENT SECTIONS CONTAINED IN NOV. 5, 1976
DRAFT RECORD:

01.01 - APPLICATION OF COMPUTERS: APPROVED BY BOTH SIDES
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(MOSCOW 4537, 6374, 6562). TEXT OF SUMMARY SECTION OF
JWG REPORT AND CONTENTS OF RECORD AS FOLLOWS: "THERE HAS
BEEN MUCH PRODUCTIVE ACTIVITY IN THE AREA OF APPLICATION
OF COMPUTERS TO MANAGEMENT. EXCELLENT QUALITY SEMINARS
HELD IN EACH OF THE FIVE PROJECTS HAVE PROVIDED A USEFUL

MEANS FOR DEVELOPING LONG-TERM JOINT RESEARCH, WHICH IS

ALREADY COMMENCING IN ALL PROJECTS. THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JOINT WORKING GROUP WERE APPROVED."

01.02 - CHEMICAL CATALYSIS: JWG REPORT AGREED (REF E). SUMMARY SECTION TO BE INSERTED IN RECORD CONTAINED STATE 40771, PLUS SENTENCE "THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JOINT WORKING GROUP, WERE APPROVED."

01.03 - ELECTROMETALLURGY: TEXT OF JWG REPORT AGREED (REF E). TEXT OF SUMMARY SECTION SENT WITH PROMISEL LETTER OF FEBRUARY 2 AND IS CONTAINED IN BRIEFING BOOK FOR US SIDE JUNE 1-2 MEETING. TO TEXT OF SUMMARY WOULD BE ADDED SENTENCE "THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JOINT WORKING GROUP WERE APPROVED".

01.04 - FORESTRY: US PROPOSED SUMMARY CONTAINED STATE 27271. SOVIET SIDE PROMISED TO RESPOND BY MAY 15 (REF E) BUT NOTHING HEARD YET. WE PROPOSE TO USE THAT LANGUAGE PLUS SAME CONCLUDING SENTENCE AS FOR ABOVE WG'S.

01.05 - INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY: REF C SUPERSEDED BY REVISION OF WORKING GROUP REPORT. WORDING FOR THIS SECTION FOLLOWS.

01.06 - METROLOGY: US PROVIDED SLIGHT REDRAFT OF SOVIET UNCLASSIFIED

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INITIAL DRAFT WITH MCCOUBREY LETTER OF FEBRUARY 14 WHICH INCLUDED SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATION SECTIONS. IN SPITE OF NUMEROUS INQUIRIES WE STILL HAVE NO RESPONSE. WE THEREFORE PROPOSE USING SUMMARY SECTION AS CONTAINED IN BRIEFING BOOK FOR US SIDE JUNE 1-2 MEETING IN RECORD PLUS STANDARD SENTENCE CONCERNING APPROVAL OF RECOMMENDATIONS.

01.07 - MICROBIOLOGY: TEXT OF JWG REPORT AGREED AND SUMMARY SECTION CAN BE INSERTED IN RECORD PLUS FINAL SENTENCE APPROVING RECOMMENDATIONS.

01.08 - PHYSICS: TEXT AGREED (KULAKOV TELEX TO MITCHELL, MAY 23). TO SUMMARY SECTION CONTAINED IN DRAFT TRANSMITTED BY PINES LETTER TO ANISIMOV APRIL 20 VIA POUCH AND CONTAINED IN BRIEFING BOOK REFERRED TO ABOVE, WOULD BE ADDED STANDARD SENTENCE ON APPROVAL OF RECOMMENDATIONS. IN RESPONSE TO ANISIMOV/KULAKOV QUESTION TO PINES VIA TELEX TO MITCHELL JUNE 10, EXPLAIN ABOVE LANGUAGE SUPERSEDES THAT CONTAINED IN FIRST DRAFT OF RECORD.

01.09 - SCIENCE POLICY: SUGGESTIONS TO FOLLOW.

01.10 - S&T INFORMATION: TEXT AGREED LAST DECEMBER (MOSCOW 20171). SUMMARY SECTION CAN BE INSERTED AS IS INTO RECORD. WE SUGGEST THAT FOLLOWING LANGUAGE, TAKING INTO ACCOUNT LATEST DEVELOPMENTS, BE ADDED INSTEAD OF LANGUAGE IN REF C, PARA 5: "THE JOINT COMMISSION NOTES WITH PLEASURE THAT THE WORK ON THE COMMON COMMUNICATIONS FORMAT WILL BE SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED NEXT SPRING FOLLOWING A FINAL MEETING IN THE UNITED STATES AND URGES BOTH COUNTRIES TO SEEK THE USE OF THE AGREED FORMAT IN INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS."

01.11 - STANDARDIZATION: TEXT OF WG REPORT AGREED
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(REF E). COPY IN JUNE 1-2 BRIEFING BOOK. SUMMARY SECTION CAN BE INSERTED IN RECORD WITH SENTENCE ADDED "THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JOINT WORKING GROUP WERE APPROVED".

01.12 - WATER RESOURCES: US SIDE REVISED DRAFT REPORT TO TAKE INTO ACCOUNT COMMENTS OF BORODOVCHENKO. IT APPEARS COPY OF REVISED REPORT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN POUCHED TO LATTER AS INTENDED. PLEASE MAKE COPY OF DRAFT REPORT CONTAINED IN BRIEFING BOOK FOR JUNE 1-2 MEETING AND TRANSMIT IMMEDIATELY TO HIM. WE BELIEVE TEXT WILL NOW BE ACCEPTABLE AND SUGGEST THAT SUMMARY SECTION FROM THAT VERSION, DATED MAY 17, 1977 IN BRIEFING BOOK, BE INSERTED INTO RECORD ALONG WITH SENTENCE APPROVING JOINT WG RECOMMENDATIONS.

NEW AREAS - CORROSION: SAME LANGUAGE REF C, PARA 7.

2. FIRST PAGE OF RECORD OF MEETING SHOULD BE CORRECTED SHOW ACTUAL DATES OF JC MEETING AND DR. FRANK PRESS INSTEAD OF STEVER.

3. EMBASSY REQUESTED PREPARE CLEAN DRAFT OF RECORD AND PRESENT TO AYKAZYAN FOR COMMENT. CHRISTOPHER

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